

EVERY MAN WHO IS HIGH UP LOVES TO THINK THAT HE HAS DONE IT ALL HIMSELF; AND THE WIFE SMILES, AND LETS IT GO AT THAT.—Barrie.

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## FRIENDS FETE MR. AND MRS. FRANCIS NOYES ON 20TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr and Mrs Francis Noyes of Norway were guests of honor at a party at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Keoskie Saturday, March 3, in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary. A purse of money was presented to them to purchase china. Those present were Mr and Mrs Herbert Rowe, Mr and Mrs Dana Douglass Jr., Mr and Mrs Dana Brooks, Mr and Mrs Addison Saunders, Mr and Mrs Dale Thurston, Mr and Mrs Murray Thurston, Mr and Mrs Ben Scothorne of Lovell, Mr and Mrs Norman Grieg, Dr and Mrs Jack Trinward, Mr and Mrs Howard Cole, Mr and Mrs Henry Hastings, Mr and Mrs Richard Waldron, Mr and Mrs Richard Young, Mr and Mrs Charles Keoskie, and the honor guests.

## FINAL 4-H DEMONSTRATIONS HELD FRIDAY NIGHT

The winners in the final 4-H demonstrations held Friday night, March 2, at the Paris Grange Hall, were: Roger Jackson, East Oxford; Hilltoppers, "Making an Adjustable Rope Halter"; Bonnie Barnes and Julia Brown, of the Lucky 13 in Bethel; "Making Baked Apples"; David Kimball, of the Rumford Center Wonder Workers; "Preparing a Calf's Hoofs for the Pan"; Nancy Sweet, South Paris Ready Workers; "Packing a Lunch Box Containing the Basic Seven"; and Lorraine Record, of the Hungry Hollow 4-H Club, "Washing a Ray-on Blouse".

## THREE YEARS OLD

Rhonda Herbert celebrated her third birthday at the home of her grandmother, Sarah Morgan, recently. Those present were Janice and Danny Kennagh, George Olson Jr., Scott Anna, Karen Brown, Vicky Parker, and the honor guest.

## COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

I think everyone should be proud of the fine showing that the Town of Bethel made in the recent Heart Fund drive; our quota was \$300. The following list shows the workers who made 138 percent of this quota.

Mrs. Alice McAllister	\$20.00
Mrs. Edith Rowe	8.00
Mrs. Bert Grover	10.65
Mrs. Robert Davis	5.50
Mrs. Clayton Fossett	23.05
Mrs. Roy Moore	9.50
Mrs. Lee Hutchins	6.82
Mrs. Arthur Guernsey	16.25
Mrs. Ernest Angvine	15.65
Mrs. Irving Brown	4.75
Mrs. Arline Rozelle	15.60
Mrs. Kay Eames	7.10
Mrs. Ruth Cummings	6.70
Mrs. Helen Rannels	8.50
Mrs. Charles Gorman	6.00
Mrs. Mary Paine	22.50
Mrs. Walter Jodrey	5.75
Mrs. Richard Blake	6.50
Mrs. Albert Buck	4.00
Mrs. Helen Saunders	24.92
Mrs. Joyce Thibault	2.50
Mrs. Avery Angvine	18.60
Mrs. Wm. Chapman	2.00
Mrs. Syll McClair	18.60
Mrs. Orrell Anderson	7.00
Mrs. Edith Bypper	7.30
Mrs. Richard Carter	45.09
Richard Bryant	35.00
Richard Waldron	16.49
Gould Academy (Mr. Ireland)	19.14
Grade School (Mr. Christie)	13.93
Theatre	3.00
Sunset Rebekah Lodge	2.00
American Legion	2.00
Total	\$416.79

Also I believe we were very fortunate in having the generous gift of \$3,500 from Gould Academy towards the new Mack Pumper.

Central Maine Power Co. plans to install the new lights very soon on Main Street that were accepted in Monday's meeting. These should add a lot to the safety and appearance of the town.

Thank you. O. T. Rozelle

## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY HAS BLOOD TYPING PROJECT FOR LOCAL HEALTH COUNCIL

The Bethel Community Health Council met Thursday, March 1, at the Selectmen's Office with a good attendance. A very interesting demonstration of the Emerson Portable Resuscitator was given by Roland Glines. This resuscitator is found at the Fire House. The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital, with Mrs. Vance Richardson and Mrs. Paul Kelley as co-chairmen, is taking over the Health Council's project of blood typing for anyone interested in Bethel and vicinity. Barbara Ferguson and Barbara Keenan, laboratory technicians of the Rumford Hospital have volunteered at least one day a week in April to do this. Working through the various organizations' Health Council representatives it is hoped everyone will avail himself of this opportunity. The time and the place for each organization will be announced in April through the representatives and through the Citizen for those not in organizations. Mrs. Frank Nary and Mrs. Earlon Paine were appointed to the nominating committee to report at the May meeting.

Officers at the present are: president, Mrs. Dale Thurston; vice-president, Mrs. Dana Douglass Jr.; secretary, Mrs. Barbara Lucas; executive members, Dr. John Trinward, Rev. Charles Pendleton.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Margaret Noyes of Norway spent the week end visiting Susan Saunders.

The MEC will have a pot luck supper Monday night at the home of Mrs. Gladys Guernsey.

Mrs. Robert Andrews is making a good recovery after a few days illness at her home in Shelburne.

Mrs. Mary Dalton of Boston is a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs Avery Angvine and family this week.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Brown Jr. and Mrs. Edwin Morrill took supper with Mr and Mrs Edwin Brown at Sunday River one day last week.

Mr and Mrs Daniel Serbner visited at Mrs. Serbner's home several times in the past two weeks while her twin brother, Ronald E. Serbner, USN, was on furlough.

The Junior Choir of the Methodist Church met Thursday, March 1, at the Church. We practiced songs that we will sing at the Easter Service. There was no business meeting. Mrs. Pauli served refreshments. We are joining the Maine Federation Music Club.

A fried clam dinner, sponsored by Sunset Rebekah Lodge, will be held at the 1000 Hall (Friday), March 18. Dinner will be served from 12:30 to 3 p. m. The committee is as follows: Ferial Gidwin, Blanche Berryment, Hilda Donahue, Blanche Bennett, Ruth Fortson, and Eleanor Bean. For tickets contact Norma Jodrey or Jane Kneeland or a member of the committee. Please get tickets in advance if possible.



**FANCY WORKER** . . . Joseph Delina, of Danville, N. J., who is now crocheting 11 years, won male championship of 1955 nationwide crocheting contest with female cloth he designed and worked.

## BETHEL FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

**1 BLAST OF SIREN**, followed by the same signal three times on the AIR WHISTLE—VILLAGE LIMITS.

**2 BLASTS OF SIREN**, followed by two blasts three times on the AIR WHISTLE—OUTSIDE THE VILLAGE.

**IN CASE OF FIRE** notify the telephone operator, who will sound the alarm. Alarm is not sounded for chimney fires.

**5 BLASTS OF AIR WHISTLE**—Call for help in any emergency.

## ORDINANCES ADOPTED AT BETHEL MEETING—GOULD GIVES \$3,500

Some 60 Bethel citizens chose the officers for the coming year during the daytime session of the annual town meeting Monday. The entire slate was elected as printed on the ballot, changes from last year being Addison C. Saunders succeeding P. Richard Carter as selectman and assessor, and George P. Stowell Jr. replacing Burton Newton on the school committee. The officers:

Selectmen and Assessors—Carroll E. Abbott, Harold G. Bennett, John H. Carter, Addison C. Saunders, Robert S. York.

Clerk—Margaret B. Baker

School Committee—George P. Stowell Jr.

The evening session consumed nearly three hours in action on the 60-article warrant. Appropriations followed the suggestions of the Budget Committee, with the exception of the school lunch question. It was decided to use the interest of the Ministerial and School Fund to overcome the lunch deficit.

Town Manager Rozelle and the Selectmen were called upon several times for explanations of various conditions, some of which were already well covered in the text of the town report. Addison Saunders, as chairman of the Budget Committee, told of his committee's reasons for recommendations, when called upon, and most of the appropriations were granted with little or no discord.

The article relating to safekeeping of town records, which has been under consideration for several years, was given an appropriation of \$1500. It is believed that a fireproof building, large enough to house the present old records and others to be added for some time, can be constructed for this sum. The location was not decided.

The gift of \$3500 from the trustees of Gould Academy to aid in the purchase of the new Mack pumper, was announced by Manager Rozelle, and Headmaster Ireland of the Academy read the letter, so that effect. After the town voted to accept the gift, Mr. Ireland presented the check for this amount to Mr. Rozelle.

A motion by John Greenleaf for appropriation of \$100 for support of Rumford hospital was defeated by a 29-21 vote after remarks by Mr. Greenleaf and Paul Thurston. The \$200 donation, as last year, was then granted.

The appropriation of \$4000 for direct lighting was explained by Mr. Rozelle to be sufficient to finance the present system, including the mercury vapor lights at the junctions of West and East Bethel, and provide for 10 of these lights on Main Street replacing 14 of the older type. He stated that the old lights, rated at 8000 lumens, cost \$25 each per year, while the 20000 lumen mercury vapor lights cost \$100 each. Two of the new lights were installed last week on upper Main Street to show the improvement to be expected.

The town ordinances as presented by the Selectmen were adopted with three amendments and an amendment. Article 1, Section 12, relating to farm pay of women, Article 3, Section 6, prohibiting playing ball and throwing stones on the streets, and Article 4, Section 7, on road coverings, were rejected. Article 5, Section 1, on outside trash, was amended to include the town as well as village. These changes will become effective when adopted by the Town Council and approved by a Justice of the Supreme Court.

It was voted to continue the Fireman's Relief and Indemnity Fund bank account on former payments from this account are to be made on recommendation of the Fire Chief and Engineers and approval of the Selectmen.

Some of the map photographs of the town, to be used in the revaluation program, were displayed in the hall and drew much attention.

Appropriations	\$7,800.00
Town Officers	75.00
School Maintenance	73,500.00
School Repairs and Equip.	1,000.00
Public Health Nurse	125.00
Roads and Bridges	8,000.00
Water Roads, Sidewalks	15,000.00
State Aid Construction	1,750.00
Surfacing Roads, Streets	5,500.00
Street Lighting	4,000.00
Night Watchman	2,000.00
Hydrants	1,000.00
Parks and Cemeteries	75.00
Chamber of Commerce	100.00
Maine Publicity Bureau	175.00
Sewers	2,000.00
Aid for Dependent Children	2,000.00
Town Welfare	4,000.00
Bethel Library	1,000.00

## DEMOCRATIC VOTERS TO MEET IN CAUCUS SUNDAY

The Bethel Democratic caucus will be held at the American Legion Home Sunday evening, March 11, at 7:30. All local Democratic voters are urged to attend the meeting.

A town committee will be elected, and nominations made of local members to serve on the county committee. There will also be election of delegates to the State Convention.

## ELMER STEARNS HONORED ON 83RD BIRTHDAY

Elmer Stearns was honored at a party at his home at Northwest Bethel Saturday evening, given by Mrs. Robert Stearns. Refreshments included a birthday cake. Those present were Mr and Mrs Robert Murphy and family, Rangeley; Mrs. Frank Murphy and son, Dean; Mr and Mrs R. Glenn Murphy and Chris, Mrs. Carrie Billington, John Stearns, Mr and Mrs Charles Macdon, Mr and Mrs Robert Stearns and Debra.

## PURITY CHAPTER ELECTIONS OFFICERS WEDNESDAY EVE

The annual meeting of Purity Chapter, OES, was held Wednesday evening, March 7. Officers were elected as follows: Worthy Matron, Dorothy York; Worthy Patron, Richard Bryant; Associate Matron, Barbara Bryant; Associate Patron, Charles Helms; Secretary, Helen Rannels; Treasurer, Elizabeth Lord; Conductress, Elsie Waldron; Associate Conductress, Reona Helms.

A semi-public installation will be held Wednesday, April 11. Elizabeth Calderwood of Biddeford, Associate Grand Matron of Grand Chapter, OES, State of Maine, will be the installing officer. Past Matron Helen Morton will act as Marshal and Past Matron Harriett Noyes will be Chaplain.

## GIN BASKETBALL TEAM AND CHEERLEADERS TO HAVE BANQUET, MARCH 16

There will be a Crescent Park School Basketball and Cheerleader Banquet on Friday, March 16, at 6:30 p. m. at the Congregational Church. Tickets will be on sale by the members of these groups.

Louise "Zek" Trickey, Edward Little High School ski coach, will give an illustrated Travelogue on "The Allagash." "Zek" has had the unique experience of guiding groups of boys through this region.

The Sunday School teachers of the Methodist Church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Chapin. Rev. Dwight McMahon led devotions. The Easter program was planned and will be held at the regular Sunday School hour Easter Sunday. Parents are invited to attend. The next meeting will be held at the Parsonage April 3. Plans were made to have two food sales to benefit children going to Methodist Camp at Watthrop.

Memorial Day Observance	150.00
Sidewalks	800.00
Cost Defense	200.00
Texas and Collector's Bonds	75.00
Fire Department	3,500.00
Mechanics Expenses	2,000.00
Electricity (Edm. House)	600.00
Town Pump	300.00
Public Liability Insurance	415.00
Fire Insurance	500.00
Workmen's Compensation	450.00
Group Insurance	2,900.00
Building for Records	1,500.00
Town Control	200.00
Central Hospital	500.00

County Tax \$145,193.00

\$1,600.00

\$153,243.00

Appropriated from Surplus

Revaluation Balance \$11,610.00

Reconstruction Elm Street 3,100.00

Reconstruction Paradise St. 2,600.00

School Note 5,000.00

Snow Equipment Note 4,000.00

Mack Pumper Note 600.00

\$27,070.00

Dr. Boynton will be out of town March 19-25.

## FOOD SALE

March 17th 10:30 a. m.

Sponsored by the Catholic Women's Altar Guild at the Store previously occupied by the First National.

## G. A. WINTER CARNIVAL THIS WEEK END

Gould Academy will hold its annual carnival this Friday and Saturday with a full program of activities. Friday will feature intramural competition beginning at 1:30 p. m. on Alumni Field with snowshoeing and tobogganing contests. This will be followed by downhill and slalom races at the Town Ski Hill at 2:15. At 3:30 it is planned to hold races for any grade school students interested. Boys and girls of the Crescent Park School who wish to participate in these events are invited to come to the Town Ski Hill with their equipment directly after school.

On Friday evening at 7:30 the One-Act Play program which is so greatly enjoyed each year by every carnival guest and student will be presented in William Bingham Gym under the direction of David D. Thompson. This year's plays are "I'm A Fool," "The Roman Kid," and "Mrs. Harper's Bazaar."

A half hour after the completion of the One-Act Plays the Carnival Queen will be crowned in an impressive pageantry on Alumni Field. Candidates for the queen this year are Jeanne Gallagher, Valarie Kelch, Martha Myers, and Sandra Myers.

Saturday, and events will take place at Swan's Corner with slalom at 10 a. m. and jumping at 2 p. m. Featured will be teams from Edward Little, Lyndon, Vt., Rumford, Berlin, N. H., and Gould. In addition to the teams outstanding schoolboy entries from Lebanon, N. H., Berlin, N. H., Fryeburg and Andover are also entering the competition. Gould's Alan Lamson, Junior National Nordic Champion holder won at Cannon Mountain last week end and will also be among the featured competitors. Ed Burnham, Gould '55, will be home on leave from the U. S. Marines and be a forejumper on Saturday afternoon. Prizes for the schoolboy winners in the day's competition will be awarded at the Swan's Corner Hill at the close of the jumping event.

The final activity of the Carnival is the annual ball in William Bingham Gym on Saturday night when music will be furnished by Gordon Howe and his orchestra.

The various classes of the Academy began their competition in skittles and snow sculpture early in the week and results of this competition together with the intramural contests of the week end will be announced on Saturday evening at the Carnival Ball.

## FIVE TOWN TEACHERS MEET

The Five Town Teachers' Club met Tuesday evening at Crescent Park School. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Miriam McAllister. Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The New England Conference and Northeastern Regional meetings were discussed.

Several teachers are planning to attend a meeting in Portland, March 12 with Mrs. Mary Titus, NEA consultant for local schools. The following committee was appointed to look after a room for the Teachers' Club at the Crescent Park Hotel. Blanche Howe, Melva Wilford, and Elaine Brown. It was voted to double the annual dues of the club.

Mrs. Gertrude Russell showed very interesting slides of Europe.

## Fried Clam Dinner

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## SMITH - CROSS

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr and Mrs Jason G. Smith, Jr., Bethel, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis E. Smith, to Norton L. Cross of Bethel, son of Mrs. Gladys Cross and the late Edgar Cross.

Mrs. Smith is a graduate of Gould Academy, Bethel, class of 1953, and is a member of the senior class at Gorham State Teachers College, Gorham, Maine, where she will graduate and receive her B. S. in Education in June.

Mr. Cross attended Bethel schools and served two years in the U. S. Army. He is self-employed.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Like Ann Balger of Rumford spent the week end visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dan Thurston, and family.

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital met on Monday evening, March 5, at the home of the Washburn Arms with Mrs. Shirley Davis as guest.

Plans were discussed for the Annual April Bazaar. It was voted to sponsor the blood typing program which it is hoped will start in April. Hospital Fair Chairman, Norma Bean, reported that the theme this year is to be Italian.

The knitted goods, mittens, baby sweaters, etc. which the group has on sale are at the home of Mrs. Ruth Wilson.

## The Week in Oxford County

Mr and Mrs Charles Sellenen of South Paris observed their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday. They were honored at open house at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Uno Walman, at South Harrison.

Mrs. Kate Marshall, a prominent Oxford woman, died in Brunswick, Friday, March 2. Mrs. Marshall was 87 years of age. She was serving her 51st year as clerk of the Oxford Congregational Church, had served as librarian 26 years, a member of the Ladies Aid 22 years, a telephone operator in Oxford 24 years, and historian of the town.

A meeting of the Western Maine Music Festival Association was held at Mexico High School Saturday. Plans were discussed for the Western Maine Music Festival to be held in May in Rumford and Mexico. Lunchmen was served by a group from the home economics class.

The proposal to consolidate the South and West Paris high schools was voted down at the annual Paris town meeting, Monday.

Andover citizens voted an appropriation of \$800 to repair the covered bridge at South Andover.







**BRYANT POND**

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. — Mrs. Wendell Twitchell, local chairman of the American Red Cross, assisted by Mrs. Cleo Billings, Mrs. Ruth Haskell and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell, has appointed the following solicitors for the Red Cross Drive: Upper Main St., Mrs. Charles Clifford and Mrs. Anthony Berryman; Lakeside Drive, Mrs. Lawrence Jordan; Lake Road and Elm Street, Mrs. Harold Tyler; Pine Point Road, Mrs. Victor Brooks; Railroad St., Mrs. Harold Dunlap; Church St., Mrs. Annie Bryant, Mrs. Edgar Morgan and Mrs. Earle Noyes; Birch St., Mrs. Richard Mills and Mrs. Harris Hathaway; Summit Road, Mrs. Gordon Farnum; Lower Main St., Miss Clara Whitman, Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, Mrs. Robert Farrington and Mrs. Arthur Farrington; Rumford Ave., Robert McKen and Mrs. Frank Packard; Gore Road, Mrs. Frank Bean; North Woodstock, Mrs. Sherwood Buck; South Woodstock, Mrs. Esther Davis.

Mrs. Fannie Cummings is ill at her home with pleurisy. Mrs. Villa Sessions, Rumford, is caring for her.

Mrs. Annie Morgan went to West Paris Wednesday morning to keep house for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer, while they are away on a trip to Florida.

Mrs. Fannie Ross, who has spent several weeks at Riddellville, with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Williams and family, returned to the home of her nephew, Elden Hathaway, Sunday.

Friends of Miss Mary F. Babcock, who has a cottage at North Pond, and has been a summer resident here for many years, were shocked and grieved to learn of her sudden death, at her home, Providence, R. I.

Franklin Grange met Saturday night, with the following program presented: Duet, by Linda Waterhouse and Patsy Davis; Jokes by members; Contest, "Name that Tune," won by Miss Charlotte Cole.

**NORTH WOODSTOCK**

Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor. — Mrs. Lee Billings and mother, Mrs. Edgar Davis, recently called on Mrs. Samuel Redman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights and daughter, Valerie Jean, of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and daughter, Terri Elizabeth, of South Paris, were Sunday dinner and supper guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights. Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Campbell of South Paris were also callers.

Mrs. Merle Ring and Mrs. Ben Warner Jr. were Monday evening callers of Mrs. Mary Knights.

Everett Cole was elected tax collector at Town meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott attended the 47th wedding anniversary party of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Howe Sr. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Elliot, Rumford.

Robert and Phillip Davis and mother, Mrs. Edgar Davis were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heikkinen, West Paris.

Leslie Bryant has been doing some painting for Mrs. Harry Poland.

Mrs. Kenneth Buck was hostess for a liquid embroidery party March 1st with Alice Twitchell of South Paris, demonstrator. Mrs. Hanne Cushman won the door prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant were Friday evening callers at Edgar Davis.

Several from this community attended Town meeting on Monday. Elwell Hardy and son of East Dixfield were Sunday callers of his mother, Mrs. Merle Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elliot of Rumford, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes of the village were callers of Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott one evening last week.

**SOUTH ALBANY**

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell entertained the following guests for dinner on Saturday: Mrs. Verna Robinson, Herman Getchell from Gorham, Leon Kimball and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell and daughters, Jean and Jane Wardwell. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gammon from South Paris were evening callers at Wardwells.

Elmer Saunders was a dinner guest at Wardwells one day last week.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Mrs. Bessie Andrews and Mrs. Alice Hoyt. Committee for next meeting is Mrs. Lizette Russ, Mrs. Elsie Cole and Mrs. Edith Abbott.

The Girl Scouts of Western Maine will broadcast from Radio Station WRUM, Rumford, sometime during Girl Scout Week, March 11 to 17. Auditions for the program will be held Saturday, March 10, at the Woodstock High School auditorium. Sunday evening, Troop No. 1, Bryant Pond Girl Scouts will attend church together. Monday night, March 12, a Girl Scout Birthday Party will be held at the gymnasium. Guests have been invited. Miss Sonja Roberts has been elected Girl Scout of the year by her Troop, No. 1. She will be presented with an award at the party. Now is the time to join the Girl Scouts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Howard Juddins were called to Lewiston Monday afternoon by the grave illness of Mrs. Juddins' mother, Mrs. Emma Ordway at the Marquette Home. She is very low at this writing. Frank Bean completed the records of the Town Meeting for Mrs. Juddins, who is Town Clerk.

**ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY**

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Cor. —

The church service was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton and family Sunday evening.

Mrs. Barbara Inman, Mrs. Edith Stearns, Mrs. Olive Spinney, Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Mrs. Melba Hall, Mrs. Arlene Leighton, Mrs. Christine Lowe, and Mrs. Thelma Merrill attended the meeting at the Norway Universalist Vestry for the reorganization of the Norway Hospital Auxiliary, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Cameron and son, Mike, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall and family.

L. J. Andrews was in Bethel on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and family, East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick and son, Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. James Corbett and son, Jimmy, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bumpus and daughter, Beth, of Millford, N. H., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus and family.

Mrs. Arlene Leighton visited Mrs. Bertha Andrews Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Blake visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall Sunday.

Robert Coolidge called on Linwood Andrews Sunday.

Mrs. Olive Spinney, Mrs. Edith Stearns, and Mrs. Annie Bumpus attended a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Eleanor Stearns at the home of Mrs. Rachel Hutchinson, Tuesday evening.

One advantage in being a parent is that you don't have to take the same medicine for colds that you give to the children. — Changing Times

**SONGO POND**

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mrs. Ralph Kimball was in Gorham and Berlin, N. H., Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Barlon Keniston with Mrs. William Kimball and three children visited their sister, Mrs. Raymond Arsensault and family in Gorham, N. H., Thursday.

Mrs. Maud Kimball spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball, Bryant Pond.

Clayton Penley, Mrs. Carrie Logan, Mrs. Ina Goode visited at George Logan's Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Lapham who is taking care of her grandchildren in Poland spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Jennie Brown was calling on relatives here over the week end.

Scotty Bean had supper with Byron Lapham, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and two children were in Harrison Sunday to help in observance of her grandparents' 50th wedding anniversary. Pictures of the four generations were taken.

Ronald E. Snyder, fireman apprentice in the U. S. Navy, has returned to his duties at Norfolk, Va. He graduated from his course at Bainbridge, Md., and has just spent a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Snyder.

Mrs. Donald Cross was hostess to a liquid embroidery party at her home Monday evening. Alice Twitchell of South Paris was the demonstrator. Refreshments of cranberry, cup cakes and hot chocolate were served. The following were present: Bea Lowell, Virginia Hutchins, Beth Brown, Ruth Young, Rachel MacKay, Bea Brown, Myrtle Keniston, Frances Saunders, Abbie Brown, Alice Kimball, Ann Cross, Arlene Tyler, West Paris—Eleanor Inman, Doris Pulkkinen, Martha Ewell.

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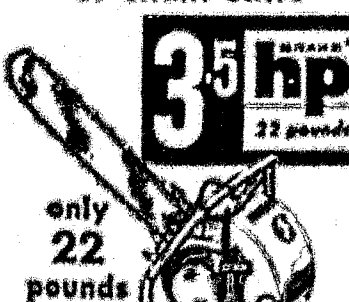
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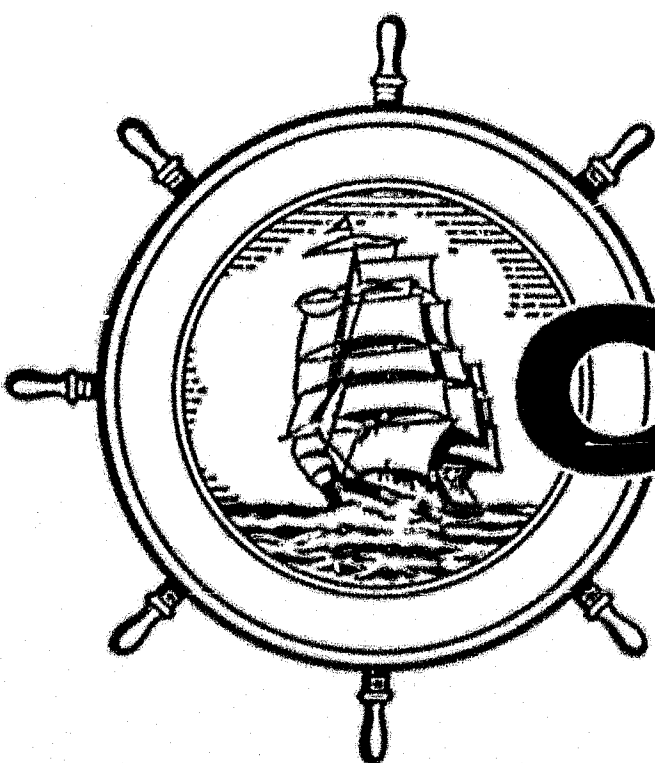
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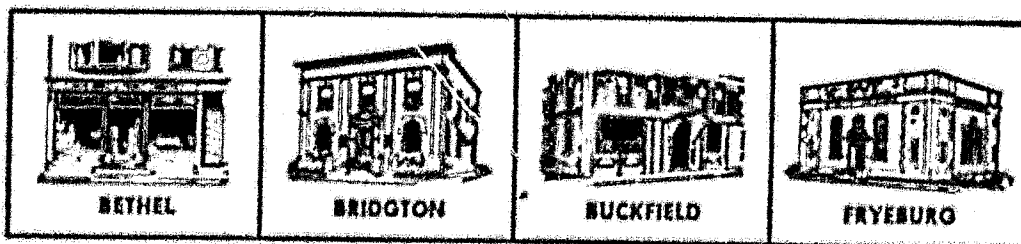
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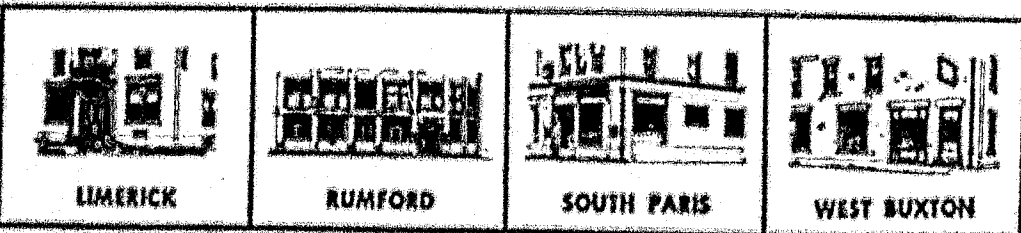
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## MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Cor. Mrs. Nora Bennett and her daughter, Martha, went to Litchfield last week for a few days visit.

A Donald Cameron is continuing to improve in health. His son, Milton, spent last week end with him returned to Belmont, Mass., Sunday.

Mrs. Dorothy Campbell of Errol is still teaching the Magalloway school.

Hetty and Margot Harvey have recovered enough from their tonsillitis to attend school this week.

Mrs. Clinton Bennett had the misfortune to sprain one ankle several days ago.

Mrs. Wendell Turner's mother from England has arrived to stay with her for some time.

Mrs. Grace Turner is getting a new better but is still in a lot of pain.

The beaver trapping is over for the year. Clinton Bennett caught a large number in this vicinity. He caught fifty.

The Magalloway town meeting will be held the 24th of March.

The trucks ran together at the Whinn's Mills bridge Monday. The

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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Trucks were damaged badly but the drivers were uninjured.

Mrs. Mabel Cameron received a letter recently from Mrs. Lora Day who now lives in St. Paul, Minn. She wrote that it is very cold there now, below zero in the mornings.

The crows arrived last week so it must be that spring is on the way. We have had a very cold and bad winter but not much snow.

Fay and Bonnie Turner who have been home from Hanover over vacation have returned there. They are the children of Odian Turner.

## IPTON

## Officers Elected:

Moderator, Fred S. Judkins  
Clerk, Howard V. Douglas  
Selectmen, Fred S. Judkins, Howard V. Douglas, Roland B. Ralston  
Treasurer, Doris E. Lane  
Collector, Kenneth Judkins  
Rate paid Collector, 25¢  
School Committee, Katherine Wright

## Appropriations:

Roads and Bridges	\$500.00
School Maintenance	450.00
School Repairs	475.00
High School Tuition	1,600.00
Public Health Nurse	15.00
Advertising Maine	25.00
Support of Poor	200.00
Maintenance State Road	200.00
Officers' Salaries	1,400.00
Miscellaneous Account	707.23
High School Board	1,500.00
State Aid Road	1,200.00
Town Publicity	100.00
Town Dump	50.00
Public Library	100.00
Vaccines, etc.	25.00
Cemetery	100.00
Fire Dept.	200.00
Street Lighting	325.00
<b>Total Appropriations</b>	<b>\$10,623.23</b>

## GILEAD

## Officers Elected:

Moderator, Floyd Mason  
Clerk, Thomas Witter  
Selectmen, Floyd Mason, Amos Fiske, Roland Incestand  
Treasurer, Harriet Fiske  
Collector, Elmer Bran Sr.  
Rate paid Collector, 14¢  
School Committee, Thomas Witter, 3 yrs.  
Road Commissioner, Leland Mason

## Appropriations:

Roads and Bridges	\$1,200.00
Snow Removal	1,600.00
School Maintenance	2,500.00
High School Tuition	2,350.00
Public Health Nurse	20.00
Advertising Maine	25.00
State Aid Road	1,000.00
Interest	75.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Support of Poor	200.00
Officers' Salaries	1,100.00
Officers' Bonds	45.00
Gas on Truck	1,000.00
<b>Total Appropriations</b>	<b>\$12,545.00</b>

All experience hath shown that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing all forms to which they are accustomed.



**GOULD ACADEMY CARNIVAL QUEEN CANDIDATES.** Left to right: Jeanne Gallagher, Naples; Ann Hastings, Bethel; Sandra Myers, Bethel; Valerie Keich, Reading, Mass.; Martha Myers, Bloomfield, N. J. One of the girls will be crowned QUEEN of the Gould Academy Winter Carnival in an outdoor ceremony on Alumni Field immediately after the One Act Plays on Friday, March 9.

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Grade 4**  
We had perfect attendance three days last week. Our grade is studying multiplication by two-figure numbers. We had a film strip on Capt. John Smith and another one on the California Gold Rush recently. Soon we will complete our study of the Nile Valley. Some of us are enjoying the new library books.

**Grade 6**  
Our sixth grade is having a display on Mexico. We have Sun Burriers, dishes, pottery, snakes, dolls, a basket. Books and many more. Peter Davis returned from Florida after two weeks vacation, and talked to us, and showed pictures. We drew twice Friday and the seven best were Linda Burris, Cheryl Douglas, Dickie Angeline, Cynthia Hicks, Claudia DeMonte, Raymond Harrington, Bonnie Eamen. The people who haven't missed any school this year are Dickie Angeline, Diana Bennett, Mark Bennett, Beth Ann Brown, Juanita Childs, Lawrence Davis, Stanley Howe.

**Grade 6—Miss Varner**  
We have had a good attendance for the last two weeks. We hope it is the result of good health habits. In Social Studies we are studying Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies. During the past week we have taken time to talk over the affairs of the Town. Be-

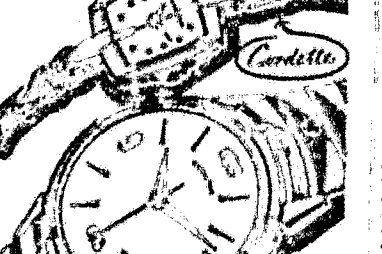
cause of the interest in town meeting. The books being read to us now are "Donn Fendler, Lost on a Mountain in Maine," also for a Bible study we are reading "The Shepherd Lad, story of David of Bethlehem." This book belongs to Charles Newell, Reporter, Carolyn Wilcox.

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Friday each grade, under a state

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Mother's Oats (china)	45c
Imitation Vanilla	21c
Ruby Cream Corn	2 for 27c
Swift's Lard, 4 lb. pail	83c
Hamburg	35c lb.—3 lbs. for \$1.00
Corned Beef	49c and 59c lb.
Chuck Roast, block style	39c lb.
Palace Bacon	39c lb.
Pork Roast, Rib End	39c lb.

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law was to spend some time on Temperance. Mr. Pendleton came and spoke to us for which we are very grateful. We also had a skit which was put on by some of the members of our class. The members of the cast were Louise Lincoln, Dixie Lea Brown, Kenneth Heath, Sharon Casey, David Boynton. The narrator was Jud Howe. Both rooms have made maps or posters, on Greece or something to do with it. Geraldine Domingos is in the Hospital for observation. Linda Brown and Mary Ellen Willard.

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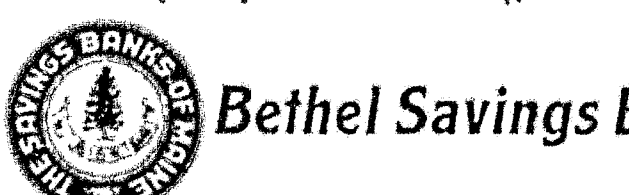
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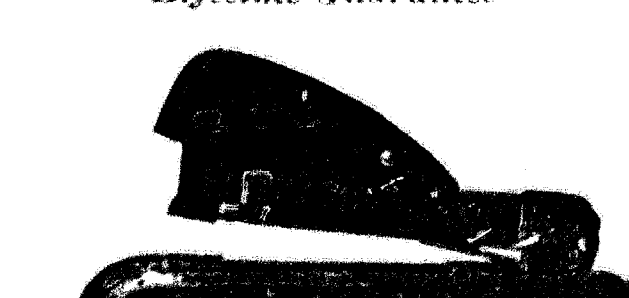


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**SOUTH WOODSTOCK**

Oliver P. Davis, Corres.

The Union School started off with a bang for the Spring term. In the primary room all the pupils received 100% in spelling but one, namely Jackson Andrews, David Bellet, Joyce Hawkes, Leon Poland, Jr., Alice Cash, Sylvia Cox, Pamela Hagar, Nancy Koskela, Donna Poland, Judith Poland, Rebecca Andrews, James Lamb, Barbara Murphy, Craig Ryerson, Alan Waterhouse. The upper or Grammar Grades reported: 4th Grade as Roger Benson and Carol Silver; 5th Grade, Rusty Strout, Joanne Murphy, Jeanne Hawkes and Robert Benson; 7th Grade, Thomas Davis, Geneva Silver, Patricia McMillan, Patricia Davis and Linda Waterhouse.

Bruce Thurlow has been out of school all the week because of a throat infection which doesn't seem to clear up very easily.

Several have been out with the prevailing epidemic that seems to be going around.

Oliver Davis attended a meeting for the workshop committee and reporters Thursday night after school at the South Paris Junior High Building.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews have reached Florida and are enjoying the warm weather there. They are planning to take a trip over some parts of the country with some friends soon.

Mrs. Kenneth Kennison is ill. She has to remain in bed for a while.

Mrs. Sayward Lamb held a Stanley party at her home Friday night. Mrs. Mary Jones demonstrated the products. Those in attendance were Mrs. Joyce Lamb, Mrs. Conrad Lamb of West Paris also Mrs. Hazel Waltenen, Gertrude An-

**SOCIETY DIRECTORY**

Mt. Abram Lodge, No. 81, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings, N. G. Shirley Chase, Rec. Secretary, Rodney Hanscom.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings, N. G. Blanche Berryment, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Parity Chapter, No. 192, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings, W. M. Anne Hastings, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 184, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays, Master, Gordon Mason Secretary, Lottie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays, President, Howard Cole, Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. G. S. Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Luxton, Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Eleanor Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings, President, Norma Buck Secretary, Madeleine Gibbs.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons, President, Mrs. Charles E. Merrill, Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Tibbels.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings, President, Mrs. Frank Nary, Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings, W. M. Dana Brooks, Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays, President, Dr. John Thirward, Secretary, James Hutchins.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. in the World Academy Music Room. President, Florence Emery, Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evening, President, Robert Keniston, Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parrot Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings, President, Dana Douglas, Jr., Secretary, Rita Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening, President, Maud McAllister, Secretary, Eva Tolson.

Mount Allen Post, No. 81, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, Commander, Joe Kendall, Adjutant, Jack Compas.

Mount Allen Unit, No. 81, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, President, Josephine Tripp, Secretary, M. L. Donahue.

Five River Grange, No. 145, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evening, Master, Richard Stevens, Secretary, Marguerite Bart-

Five River Grange, No. 145, New Bethel. Meets every other Saturday, Master, Paul Wright, Secretary, Ed Wright.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital. Meets first Monday evening, President, Constance Thurston, Secretary, Barbara Hogan.

Scout Club. Meets Wednesday afternoon after school, 3:30, at Mrs. Edith Griffin's on Paradise St. President, Donald Christie, Secretary, Nancy Lancela, Treasurer, L. L. Bennett.

Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association. Meets third Thursday at 8:00 P. M. in Locke's Mills Tavern. Visitors welcome. President, Arthur Wiley, Secretary, Arthur Cummings.

**STATE OF MAINE**

TO THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT to be held at Paris, within and for said County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1956.

Respectfully Represents William C. Holway resident at Norway in the County of Oxford and State of Maine that he was lawfully married to Marjorie S. Holway of Unknown at Boston in the County of Suffolk and State of Massachusetts on the 28th day of May A. D. 1936, by a minister duly authorized to solemnize marriages therein;

That the Libellant and Libellee cohabited in this State after their said marriage;

That the Libellant resided in this State when the cause of divorce accrued as hereinafter set forth;

That the Libellant has resided in this State in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of these proceedings;

That the Libellee is a resident of this State;

That the Libellant has ever been faithful to his marriage obligations, but that the said Libellee has been unfaithful of the same;

That there is no collusion between your Libellant and the said Libellee to obtain a divorce;

That on the first day of July A. D. 1947, said Libellee utterly deserted your Libellant without reasonable cause and has continued said desertion for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel;

That said Libellee has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward your said Libellant;

That the said Libellee has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment toward your Libellant;

That children have been born to them during their said marriage, of whom all now living, viz.: none minors.

Wherefore your Libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony between himself and the said Libellee may be decreed; And your Libellant further alleges that the residence of said Libellee is unknown to your Libellant and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence.

Dated at Rumford, Maine this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1956.

William C. Holway Libellant

**STATE OF MAINE**

Rumford, Maine February 21st A. D. 1956 Personally appeared William C. Holway above named Libellant and made oath that the foregoing allegation as to the residence of the Libellee is true.

Before me, William E. McCarthy Notary Public

**STATE OF MAINE**

County of Oxford, ss. Superior Court in Vacation February 23 A. D. 1956

Upon the foregoing Libel, ORDERED, That the Libellant give notice to the said Marjorie S. Holway to appear before the Justice of our Superior Court to be held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1956, by publishing an attached copy of said libel, and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Bethel, Oxford County, Citizen, a newspaper printed in Bethel, in our County of Oxford, the last publication to be thirty days at least prior to said second Tuesday of May, 1956, that she may there and then in our said Court appear and show cause if any she have, why the prayer of said Libellant should not be granted.

Leonard P. Williams Justice of the Superior Court of our Court thereon.

Attest: Rupert F. Aldrich, Clerk

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Synopsis of the annual statement of

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**Assets**

Bonds \$12,582,773.15  
Stocks 1,844,692.20  
Cash and Bank Deposits 1,486,320.57  
Other Assets 336,945.09

**Total Assets \$16,250,730.91**

**Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds**

Reserve for Losses \$1,661,597.36  
Loss Adjust. Expenses 110,000.00  
Unearned Premiums 2,097,477.03  
Taxes 975,174.84  
All Other Liabilities 314,893.19

**Total Liabilities \$5,059,142.32**

**Special Surplus Funds \$40,946.77**

**Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 1,500,000.00**

**Unassigned Funds (Surplus) as Regards Policyholders 9,240,763.46**

**Policyholders \$11,182,809.23**

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**WEST BETHEL**

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Mrs. Richard Walker and Diana were in Shelburne, N. H., Thursday.

Mrs. George Gilbert and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert were in Berlin, N. H., Thursday.

Mrs. Freda Korhonen, Miss Betty Lou Korhonen, Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert, Mrs. Franklin Burris, Misses Mary and Margaret Burris were in South Paris Friday night to attend 4-H Demonstrations. Mary and Margaret Burris demonstrated how to set a Table for a Formal Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker were in Berlin, N. H., Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Goffig and Mrs. Carrie McLain, Bartlett, N. H., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett, Jefferson, N. H.

Randall Gilbert entered the Rumford Community Hospital Sunday. He had several teeth extracted Monday and returned home Monday afternoon.

Miss Suzanne Stowell, student nurse at Massachusetts General Hospital, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr.

Franklin Burris, who is employed in Stamford, Conn., spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and family and Robert Gilbert were in Norway and Harrison, Sunday.

Alanson Cummings, Manchester, Conn., was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and family. Mrs. Cummings who spent the past week here returned home with her Dorothy Lovejoy will be their guest for a month.

Mrs. Myrtle Downing and Bruce, Mrs. Doris Waterhouse, sons Kevin and Gary, and Mason Noyes, West Paris, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy last week.

Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were in Norway recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock visited relatives in Andover, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Hancock attended Pomona Grange at Bear River Grange, Newry, Thursday.

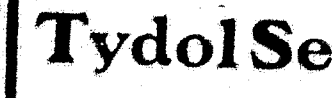
Mrs. Earl Graves is confined with a bad cold.

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Tot Not Oils 2 for 39c

Meat Malt Salad Dressing, qt. 45c

Gerber's Baby Food 4 for 39c

**FRI. & SAT.**

Fresh Pork Liver 1 lb. 21c

Smoked Shoulder 1 lb. 29c

Fresh Ground Hamburg 3 lbs. for \$1

Sliced Bacon 1 lb. 29c



